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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Yuko NAKAMURA *et al.*

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Examiner: M. Rao

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 4, 2003

Dear Sir:

The following remarks are submitted in response to the Official action mailed May 5, 2003. The Official action set forth a three-month period for response, making this response due on or before June 5, 2003.

Please amend the above-identified application as set forth on the following pages. The following amendments are being made in accordance with the "Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted," published in the Official Gazette on February 25, 2003, volume 1267, number 4.